Harry Livingstone's Killing Kennedy 9/23/95

Lonnie Hudkins phoned me last evening to ask me what I know about Livingstone. I asked him why the interest and he said he'd been given proofs of the book to read and that it is a crazy book. Of the examines he mentioned I remember that as Harry makes up his case that the Zapruder film was faked, needing to change it, I suppose, when he comes to understand that what he has been saying is untenable, he now has Zapruder himself involved in the alleged faking.

He also has Hunt part of the conspiracy to kill Kennedy, as he did in Killing the Truth.

Lonnie says there is barely mention of me, unlike in Killing the Truth.

He says the book is announced for October.

If Carroll & Graf are sending proofs to the Buffalo Evening News they must be sending great quantities of them around. Yet when I asked for copies of MURK AGAIN! and offered to pay for them, some to use with the media, I got no response at all from Graf or from Callen's office after six such requests.

His editor has talked to Lonnie about a coming book about which he knows nothing and does not recall the name of the author.

Richard Schweiker has been in touch with him about a book Schweiker is writing. Lonnie did testify in executive session before the Schweiker subcommittee of the Church committee, which later became the standing ~~Select~~ Senate intelligence committee. Lonnie says that the CIA offered him counsel, which he declined, and that Schweiker also did, which he also declined.

Lonnie is to review a number of books. When he finishes he'll send me the Livingstone proofs.

It seems that C & G are making a real effort to sell this newest atrocity, as they seem to have done in the past with his atrocities and seem to have done more recently with Newman's Oswald and the CIA.

But if they distributed a single review copy of anything of mine they published I've not heard of it, and that is minimum effort to promote a book.